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## Odonata

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The following species are represented in the collections of Odonata made by the 1934-35 and 1952 Expeditions. Odonata were not especially sought for, and numbers are consequently small, but this list has been compiled to place on record what species were taken. Unless otherwise stated, all were taken by Dr. F. W. Edwards. All the material has been identified by Miss. C. Longfield.

### ZYGOPTERA

#### Family **Libellaginidae** Laidlaw

##### *Chlorocypha tennis* Longfield

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Kilembe, 4500 ft., xii.1934-i.1935, 1 ♀.

S.W. UGANDA: Kalinzu Forest, 25.i.1935 (*T. H. E. Jackson*), 1 ♂, 4 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Uganda, Kenya.

##### *Platycypha caligata* (Selys)

UGANDA: Masaka, 13.ix.1934, 3 ♂, 1 ♀.

KENYA: Thika, 23.x.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: East and Central Africa.

#### Family **Protoneuridae** Tillyard

##### *Elatoneura simba* Martin

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Semliki Forest, 2750 ft., Hot Springs, 28.viii.-i.ix.1952 (*D. S. Fletcher*), 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: East Africa.

#### Family **Coenagriidae** Kirby

##### *Enallagma subfurcatum* Selys

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Kilembe, 4500 ft., xii.1934-i.1935, 16 ♂, 5 ♀; Mpanga (Kibale) Forest, 25.i.1935, 2 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: Abyssinia, Eritrea, W. Darfur, Uganda, S. Rhodesia.

*Enallagma elongatum* Martin

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Katamayo, 8000 ft., xii.1934-i.1935, 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: S. Rhodesia to Kenya, Angola, Belgian Congo.

*Enallagma longfieldae* Fraser

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Kilembe, 4500 ft., xii.1934-i.1935, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Uganda.

*Enallagma pseudelongatum* Longfield

S.W. UGANDA: Kigezi District, Mt. Mgahinga, 8000 ft., 22-27.xi.1934, 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: Tanganyika, Kenya, Uganda.

*Pseudagrion angolense* Selys

UGANDA: Masaka, 13.xi.1934, 1 ♂, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Cape Province to Uganda and West Africa.

*Pseudagrion gerstaeckeri* Karsch

UGANDA: Masaka, 13.ix.1934, 1 ♀; Ruwenzori Range, Fort Portal, 5000 ft., 4.xii.1934, 1 ♀.

KENYA: Thika, 4500 ft., 23.x.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Central Africa.

## ANISOPTERA

Family **Gomphidae** Rambur*Notogomphus dorsalis* Selys

KENYA: Thika, 4500 ft., 23.x.1934, 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: East Africa.

Family **Corduliidae** Selys*Macromia* sp.

KENYA: Thika, 4500 ft., 23.x.1934, 1 ♀ (incomplete).

Family **Libellulidae** Latreille*Orlithrum caffrum* Burmeister

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Kilembe, 4500 ft., xii.1934-i.1935, 18 ♂, 1 ♀.

KENYA: Aberdare Range, Mt. Kinangop, 9000 ft., 23-31.x.1934, 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: S. and E. Africa.

*Orlithrum guineense* Ris

UGANDA: Masaka, 13.xi.1934, 1 ♂; Ruwenzori Range, Semliki Forest, 2850 ft., 22.viii.-3.ix.1952 (*D. S. Fletcher*), 2 ♂.

KENYA: Thika, 4500 ft., 23.x.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: C. Africa.

*Orthetrum stemmale kalai* Longfield

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Semliki Forest, 2750 ft., Hot Springs, 28.viii.-1.ix.1952 (*D. S. Fletcher*), 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: C. Africa.

*Orthetrum microstigma* Ris

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Semliki Forest, 2850 ft., 22.viii.-3.ix.1952 (*D. S. Fletcher*), 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: C. Africa.

*Palpopleura lucia* forma *portia* Rambur

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Kilembe, 4500 ft., xii.1934-i.1935, 1 ♂, 1 ♀; Semliki Forest, 2850 ft., 22.viii.-3.ix.1952 (*D. S. Fletcher*), 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: Central Africa southwards.

*Crocothemis erythraea* Brullé

UGANDA: Kigezi District, Kanaba Gap, 7500 ft., 19.xi.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Throughout Africa.

*Atoconeura eudoxia* Kirby

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Nyamgasani Valley, 8-9000 ft., xii.1934-i.1935 (*D. R. Buxton*), 2 ♂, 1 ♀; Namwamba Valley, 6500 ft., xii.1934-i.1935 (*T. H. E. Jackson*), 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: Uganda, Kenya, Belgian Congo.

*Atoconeura biordinata pseudoeudoxia* Longfield

UGANDA: Ruwenzori Range, Bikoni Peak, Mobuku Valley, 7500 ft., 31.xii.1934, 1 ♂; Mpanga (Kibale) Forest, 25.i.1935, 1 ♂.

Recorded Distribution: Uganda.

*Trithemis stictica* Burmeister

UGANDA: Masaka, 13.xi.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Widespread in Africa.

*Trithemis pluvialis* Foerster

UGANDA: Masaka, 13.xi.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: S. Africa, S. Rhodesia, Port. E. Africa, Belgian Congo, Angola.

*Trithemis risi* Longfield

KENYA: Thika, 4500 ft., 23.xi.1934, 1 ♀ (2 nymphs probably belong here).

s.w. UGANDA: Kigezi District, Kanaba Gap, 7500 ft., 19.xi.1934, 1 ♀.

Recorded Distribution: Widespread in Africa.